

# Osage Valley Banner.

Thursday, January 30, 1879.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

-Lesem to the front.  
-Bad cold" is the salutary of every one you meet.

-All staple groceries can be had at Joe Cummings.

-Meat Hike of Jim Henry gave us a pleasant call last Tuesday.

-G. to Basson's for bargains now.

-The snow and ice has very near disappeared, giving a little rise to the river.

-Chow Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

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-The crossing of the river at this place was covered of ice last Sunday.

Mr. Philip Hausestein is confined to his room with pneumonia.

-Cheapest goods in the State at Lesem's.

-Dr. Ulmon has given us several very encouraging calls, since we unfurled the Banner.

-Capt. T. B. Robinson, took passage on California back yesterday morning for Jet City. He will return Saturday.

-Rev. A. Brockman and others called yesterday, paid BANNER office compliments and some of dad's dollars.

-For the spring styles for ladies call at the Millinery Store of Miss Carrie Fendorf.

-Some communications unavoidably crowded out this week, but will appear in our next.

-Mr. James Thompson of Brumley was in the city last week, and of course called and gave us a shake.

-An additional penalty will be levied on delinquent tax-payers on the first day of February.

-Good and cheap Clothing at Lesem's Emporium, call and see them.

-John Foglesong wishes every-body and mankind generally to understand he keeps the best of drinkables at Kirks.

-It is unlawful to kill any wild deer between January 15th and September 1st; wild turkey between March 1st and September 15th.

-I. Latcham Esq. of Iberia gave us a call last Monday and reports news from that locality.

-Wm. Etter is a happy man over a present on New Years day by his good lad - a twelve pound daughter.

-Best Coffee at Lesem's 5¢ lbs. for \$1.00; Best bro. Sugar, 11 pounds for \$1.00; Candy at 7¢ cents per yard, and everything equally low.

-Produce is very scarce in this market, especially potatoes at 80 cents, eggs at 10 cents, beans, and no green apples at 75 cents.

-We feel happy enough to say we are doing pretty well, and increasing our subscription list daily, of Miller county's best citizens.

-Our Sr. and "Dollie Varden" returned from their sojourn at the capital last Thursday, both lame in the knee.

-Our opinion of locals in this locality cannot be expressed, we don't wish for say and catastrophes, but we long for locals.

-The trial of Chas. Benson v. Geo. Martin is set for trial to-day. This is a case for assault by Martin to Benson some time since.

-Mr. Louis Lesem returned from St. Louis last Saturday, where he has been several weeks. He looks well and full of business.

-The Osage is clear of ice - water plenty; seven feet on shoal steamers, Sprague Chapel, Emma and other boats will have a fine harvest this season.

-Senator Headlee has thanks of BANNER for favors - He is one of God's noble men and will make the people of 23rd senatorial district as faithful & representative as ever preceeded him.

-James Hargan and his excellent lady, of Spring Garden, called to see the New Printing office; (BANNER) last Friday.

-Lead has taken another rise, and its good tidings to several in this country who have only been waiting for a rise, when they will unsheathe "stocks" of lead.

-High Justice, John Ferguson, held Court last Saturday, had quite a number of cases; some litigation and酌情 fine points of law to be decided by his honor.

-MARRIED - Jan. 19, 1879, at the residence of Dr. W. S. Pickton by Rev. W. S. Findley, Miss Hattie Compton to Mr. W. A. Pickton all of Saline township, Miller county, Mo.

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-Pinckney Miller, our energetic sheriff, made a short call last Saturday eve, reports health generally good and business throughout the country having an upward tendency.

-Dr. J. H. Moore is now in the practice of medicine - We have known the Doctor for several years, he is prompt & attentive and a good physician, give him a call.

-Prof. Nevilles of Mt. Pleasant gave us a call last Saturday, and gave support to the BANNER office. The Professor is one of the best educators and has a flourishing school at the above village.

-Payton Wilcox of Glaze township called to see the BANNER boys and congratulated the new enterprise. Payton is one of the well do farmers of Miller, having everything to make man comfortable.

-One night last week Dr. McGee's smokehouse was entered and robbed of forty or fifty pounds of fresh beef, there has also been some corn "seaweed" about this place. There seems to be a clue to the nefarious perpetrator, who should have the benefit of the whipping post, as there is no necessity for stealing here, there is work for the sustenance of every man in this section at very fair wages.

-Joel B. Clark, Clerk, has purchased of David Marshall his residence and five lots; near the Court and public house; price four hundred dollars - Joel contemplates on moving to and becoming a citizen of Tuscumby for the next four years. A good selection for a home he has made, to bring these five bright beautiful little boys, near the school, taught by Mrs Mary Walker, one of the gems of our land; we hail their advent with joy.

-MARRIED - On last Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup>, inst. Mr. Jno. M. Duncan to Miss Emma Bond, a bride's father's (Felix Bond); by P. J. Marchant. J. P. In the evening the lively young folks of the neighborhood undertook a chorister; Uncle Felix met the guests at the door, treated to apples; but the lively crowd wanted whisky; They were in-

formed no whisky entered the sanctum of the bridegroom's apartment - their persistence caused a few to be flung around a few times by Uncle Felix - They left.

-MAILED At the residence of the bride on Sunday the 26<sup>th</sup> inst., by Elder S. M. Dutcher, Wm. M. Harrison, sen., to Miss Jessie Atkin, all Millerites, which we had the pleasure to witness and partake of the bountiful supply of everything that was good to eat; on Monday the 27<sup>th</sup> we escorted the bride and groom to her mother's home where we met the same hospitality and fare sumptuously, on baked turkey, and many other goodies, after which we left the happy couple in the joys and bliss of a married life. We hope their day's will be a happy moon through life, and the flowers may blow in their pathway of peace. A FRIEND

-Yesterday morning while the young man, an employ of Dr. McGee was hanging a large coal oil lamp off the wall about the burner and on the outside of the bowl ignited, producing quite a flame, the young man in his excitement threw the lamp, intending to throw it out the door, but missing and striking the wall near the door, luckily the lamp did not break, though the oil fast running through the burner caused a flame reaching almost to the ceiling. The young man again seized the lamp and threw it thirty feet out into the yard, and succeeded in putting it up to his flaming and sputtering house.

Thus narrowly escaped the residence of Dr. McGee from destruction.

-He made his punch a in his machine used by retail liquor dealers to cool off drinks sold, has been in use in Richmond, Virginia for fourteen months, and the commissioner who had charge of the revenue collections of part of the revenue has published a report showing the population of the city less than 60,000 and the total income from malt and alcoholic drinks sold by the glass was \$52,736.93 Of this sum a choicer paid \$48,842.92 in malt, \$8,891.01. The bell rang 1,803,602 times for alcoholic drinks on which the tax is 2 1/2 cents each, and 2,978.328 for malt drinks, on which the tax is 1-2 cent each, giving to that city unbounded satisfaction in the way of a tax.

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Sitting Bull dug up the hatchet and crossed the British American line at the head of 5,000 savages. He reported that he comes w/ peaceful intention, but according to late reports there was never a better prospect of a big Indian war than is culminating with the present season.

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-A resolution was passed in the hands of a House committee of the Legislature last week, to examine into the practicability of the reduction of the salaries of the State and county officers, in view of bringing them nearer in harmony with the shrinkage in values and the financial stringency of the times.

DIRTY NOTICE.

Taken up by Thomas Madden and posted before John Ferguson, a Justice of the peace in Richwoods township of Miller Co., Mo., on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1879, the following described property: Five year old past (or yearling) steer, three of them red and white spotted, one of them a spotted roan, one of them a white color with red neck and head, all of them marked with a swallow tail and red rib in the right ear and with a smooth ear on the left ear, no other marks or brands receivable appraised at the sum of \$40 (\$23 in) by Wm. Knauer, John F. Webb, and H. W. Carroll.

JAS. MADDEN,  
Treas'r Up.

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STATE OF MISSOURI }  
COUNTY OF MILLER }

In the Circuit Court of Miller County, before March term, 1879, vacation January 15<sup>th</sup>, 1879.

The State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of James M. Brockman, Collector of Revenue of Miller County, Missouri, plaintiff;

JAMES A. CURRY, defendant.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein by attorney, before the undersigned Clerk of said Court in vacation and files his petition alleging amongst other things that the above named defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk that said defendant be notified by publication, that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this Court, the object whereof is to obtain judgement against him in the sum of \$40.00 being the sum unpaid by him for tax for the years 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868, 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876 and 1877 on the following described real estate situated in Miller County, Mo., viz: 160-100 acres Lot 2 northeast quarter and east half lots 3 and 4 northeast quarter of section 3, township 39, range 12, and to have said judge-

ment declared a lien on said real estate in favor of the state of Missouri, and for the enforcement of said lien, and to have said defendant be and appear at this Court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the town of Tuscumby, in said county, on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March next, and, on or before the sixth day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgement will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the OSAGE VALLEY BANNER.

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W. B. BILLINGS, defendant.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein by attorney, before the undersigned Clerk of said Court in vacation and files his petition al-

leging amongst other things that the above named defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk that said defendant be notified by publication, that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this Court, for judgement against him in the sum of three dollars and twenty-nine cents, aggregate amount of taxes and interest on the following land in Miller County, Missouri; to-wit: 80 acres north half southeast quarter section four township forty, range twelve, for the years 1876 and 1877, and to have the same declared a lien in favor of the State of Missouri, against said land, and for the enforcement of said lien, and the sale of said land or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy such payment, interest, fees, commission and costs and that unless the said W. B. Billings, be and appear at this Court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the town of Tuscumby, in said County, on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March next, and, on or before the sixth day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgement will be rendered accordingly.

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GEORGE W. ODELL, defendant.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein by attorney, before the Clerk of said Court in vacation and files his petition alleging among-

other things that said defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk that said defendant be notified by publication, that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this Court, the object of which is to obtain judgement against him for the sum of \$3.61 being the unpaid tax due for the years 1868, 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876 and 1877 on 8 acres of land in Miller County, Missouri, described as the town of Tuscumby, in said county, on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March next, and, on or before the sixth day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgement will be rendered accordingly.

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MARSHALL J. CHAMPION, William Champion, Robert Champion, John Champion, James Cross, John Cross, Jane Cross, Marc Cross, Dexter Cross, Eliot Watkins, Lenora Cross and James Cross; defendants.

At this day comes the Plaintiff herein by Attorney, before the Clerk of said Court in vacation and files his petition stating among other things that the defendants are non-residents of the State of Missouri, whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk that said defendant be notified by publication, that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this Court, the object of which is to obtain judgement against him for the sum of \$2.61 being the unpaid tax due on the southeast quarter, sec. 33, Township 40, Range 12 for the year 1876, and to have said judgement declared a lien in favor of the State of Missouri against said real estate, and for the enforcement of said lien, and the sale of said land or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy such payment, interest, fees, commission and costs and that unless the said W. B. Billings, be and appear at this Court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the town of Tuscumby, in said County, on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March next, and, on or before the sixth day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgement will be rendered accordingly.

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